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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE
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WHAT IS MARKET NEWS?

Market news is an exchange of information among growers, shippers, wholesalers, and others on supplies, demand, and prices.

This information is gathered by skilled market reporters employed by the U.S. Department of Agriculture together with State agencies. It is flashed throughout the Nation, and is quickly released through telephone recorders, newspapers, radio, television, and in printed reports.

The market news service is part of USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service.

WHAT IT MEANS TO YOU

Market news reporters serve as the eyes and ears of the produce industry. Their reports can help you make your marketing decisions.

Market news tells you about supplies—one of the main things that affect the price you get or the price you pay. The reports also describe the demand for your produce or ornamental crops and tell you what prices are being paid at various market places. They can help you decide whether your prices are right.

KINDS OF MARKET NEWS REPORTS

Terminal market reports are issued on fruits and vegetables and ornamental crops.

The fruit and vegetable reports (see page 7) are issued from most of the largest cities. The reports show both rail and truck receipts in each of these big-city areas. Prices reported in terminal markets are those received by wholesalers for sales of less than a carload or truckload.

The ornamentals reports (see page 18) cover many of the most important wholesale markets. Wholesale prices reported show prices paid by retailers per unit (per bunch, flower, dozen, etc.) The New York City office reports volume of arrivals of ornamentals, but volume is not reported at other terminal markets.

Shipping point reports are issued on fruits and vegetables and ornamental crops.

The fruit and vegetable reports (see page 10) cover the major growing areas and show both rail and truck shipments. Prices are reported by type of sale and show what the grower or shipper receives for the produce in carload or truckload quantities, including mixed loads.

The ornamentals reports (see page 18) cover several major production areas and imports entering through Miami. Shipping point prices are reported by type of sale and show what the grower or shipper receives per unit. Volume of imported cut flowers and decorative greens is released weekly in a Washington, D.C., report. Volume of domestic shipments is reported for major cut flowers grown in California and Florida and issued from offices in those States.

Marketing trends reports are issued for fruits and vegetables and ornamental crops.

National Shipping Point Trends is a report mailed each Wednesday from the Philadelphia, Kansas City, and Denver terminal market news offices. This weekly report gives

background information at the various shipping points on such things as shipments, prices, trading during the past week, crop conditions, harvesting progress, and outlook for the next 2 weeks.

Ornamental Crops National Market Trends is a similar report published each Friday at the San Francisco terminal market news office. In addition to the kinds of information described above for the *National Shipping Point Trends*, this report includes observations of reporters covering terminal wholesale flower markets.

A marketing summary or review is prepared after the shipping season for each shipping point production area. These summaries include data on production, supply, prices at both shipping point and selected terminal markets, and related information. A summary of fruit and vegetable and ornamentals prices is published annually for each terminal market. These annual summaries show prices for the most representative trading day, by weeks, in each city. Major commodities are reported by grade, container, and State of origin.

Reports issued from Washington, D.C., include weekly and annual transportation reports (rail and truck movement for fruit and vegetable commodities), an annual summary of average monthly produce prices in principal areas, a national honey report issued monthly, a national sugar market report issued monthly, and a national fruit and vegetable truck rate report issued weekly.

HOW TO GET MARKET NEWS REPORTS

Telephone recorders at many shipping point and terminal market news offices provide information 24 hours each day. See page 20 for a list of recorder phone numbers and commodities covered.

Many newspapers, radio stations, and TV stations carry market news information. Check your area for newspaper coverage and broadcast schedules.

Detailed market news reports are mailed free on request from terminal and shipping point market news offices, as well as from Washington, D.C. Select the reports you need from the list on pages 19 through 20. Write to the offices that issue reports, and state how frequently you need them.

UNDERSTANDING THE MARKET

The price ranges shown in market reports generally cover the high and low prices on fruits and vegetables or ornamental crops of good quality and condition. Stock of exceptionally fine quality or of poorer than usual quality is covered by quotations outside the principal price range, and is appropriately described.

To use market news reports, the reader must recognize the effect of variety, grade, quality, size, and condition on price.

QUALITY refers to the physical properties affecting market value, such as color, shape, texture, cleanliness, and freedom from defects.

CONDITION refers to factors which may change with time, such as maturity, decay, freezing injury, shriveling, and flabbiness.

QUALITY AND CONDITION are described by the terms:

fine—superior in appearance, color, and other quality factors; better than good.

good—stock which has a high degree of merchantability and a small percentage of defects.

fair—having a somewhat higher percentage of defects than good or a condition which warrants a price reduction when compared to good.

ordinary—a fairly high percentage of defects or a heavy degree of off-condition.

poor—having such a heavy percentage of defects or so badly off-condition that it is salable only to buyers interested chiefly in low prices.

GLOSSARY OF TERMS USED IN FEDERAL-STATE MARKET NEWS REPORTS

The following terms are used in USDA and Federal-State market news reports for fruits, vegetables, ornamentals, and specialty crops.

MARKET—The price or price level at which a commodity is traded.

MARKET ACTIVITY—The pace at which sales are being made.

active—Available supplies (offerings) are readily clearing the market.

moderate—Available supplies (offerings) are clearing the market at a reasonable rate.

slow—Available supplies (offerings) are not readily clearing the market.

inactive—Sales are intermittent with few buyers or sellers.

PRICE TREND—The direction in which prices are moving in relation to trading in the previous reporting period(s).

higher—The majority of sales are at prices measurably higher than the previous trading session.

firm—Prices are tending higher, but not measurably so.

steady—Prices are unchanged from previous trading session.

lower—Prices for most sales are measurably lower than the previous trading session.

SUPPLY/OFFERING—The quantity of a particular item available for current trading.

heavy—When the volume of supplies is above average for the market being reported.

moderate—When the volume of supplies is average for the market being reported.

light—When the volume of supplies is below average for the market being reported.

DEMAND—The desire to possess a commodity coupled with the willingness and ability to pay.

very good—Offerings or supplies are rapidly absorbed.

good—Firm confidence on the part of buyers that general market conditions are good. Trading is more active than normal.

moderate—Average buyer interest and trading.

light—Demand is below average.

very light—Few buyers are interested in trading.

MOSTLY—The majority of sales or volume.

UNDERTONE—Situation or sense of direction in an unsettled (prices not established) market situation.

WHERE TO WRITE FOR FRUIT AND VEGETABLE TERMINAL MARKET REPORTS

Terminal market reports are issued year-round at the following markets:

ATLANTA, GA

(Forest Park, GA 30050)
Administration Bldg., Rm. 203
Georgia State Farmers Market
Phone: (404) 366-0575

BALTIMORE, MD

(Jessup, MD 20794)
Bldg. B, Rm. 47
Maryland Wholesale Produce Market
Phone: (301) 799-4840

BOSTON, MA

(Everett, MA 02149)
Boston Terminal Market, Rm. 10
34 Market St.
Phone: (617) 387-4498

BUFFALO, NY 14206

176 Niagara Frontier Food Terminal
Rm. 2
Phone: (716) 826-2100

CHICAGO, IL 60607

U.S. Custom House, Rm. 1060
610 South Canal St.
Phone: (312) 353-0111

CINCINNATI, OH 45202

Federal Office Bldg., Rm. 3532
550 Main St.
Phone: (513) 684-3194

CLEVELAND, OH 44115

3800 Woodland Ave.
Phone: (216) 361-3392

COLUMBIA, SC 29201

P.O. Box 13531
State Farmers Market
Youngblood Administration Bldg.
Bluff Rd.
Phone: (803) 758-2293

DALLAS, TX 75201

2818 Maple St.
Suite 214
Phone: (214) 767-5334

DENVER, CO 80202

U.S. Custom House, Rm. 387
721 19th St.
Phone: (303) 837-3223

DETROIT, MI 48209

Detroit Union Produce Terminal, Rm. 53
7201 West Fort St.
Phone: (313) 841-1111

HONOLULU, HI 96822

P.O. Box 22159
1428 South King St.
Phone: (808) 548-7163

HOUSTON, TX 77023

Houston Produce Center
Administration Bldg.
3100 Produce Row, Rm. 9-A
Phone: (713) 926-9683

KANSAS CITY, MO 64106

U.S. Court House, Rm. 122
811 Grand Ave.
Phone: (816) 221-5785

LOS ANGELES, CA 90021

The Linder Bldg., 5th Flr.
845 S. Figueroa St.
Phone: (213) 688-3077

LOUISVILLE, KY 40218

#1 Produce Terminal
Jennings Lane
Phone: (502) 458-1559

MIAMI, FL 33143

P.O. Box 431410
Rm. L-2
7520 Red Rd.
Phone: (305) 661-3493

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401

Federal Courts Bldg., Rm. 425
110 South 4th St.
Phone: (612) 332-4681

NEW ORLEANS, LA 70113

U.S. Postal Service Bldg.,
Rm. T-5031
701 Loyola Ave.
Phone: (504) 589-6740

NEW YORK, NY

(Bronx, NY 10474)
Hunts Point Market, Rm. 4A
Hunts Point and East Bay Aves.
Phone: (212) 545-2225

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19148

Produce Bldg., Rm. 261
3301 South Galloway St.
Phone: (215) 597-4536

PITTSBURGH, PA 15222

Federal Bldg., Rm. 832
1000 Liberty Ave.
Phone: (412) 644-5847

ST. LOUIS, MO 63102

Unit 97, Produce Row, Rm. 203
Phone: (314) 425-4521

SAN ANTONIO, TX 78207

1500 South Zarzamora, Rm. 210
Phone: (512) 222-9126

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

U.S. Appraisers Bldg., Rm. 727
630 Sansome St.
Phone: (415) 556-5587

SEATTLE, WA 98144

2505 McClellan
Phone: (206) 442-7885

WHERE TO WRITE FOR FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SHIPPING POINT REPORTS

Shipping point reports are available on request from the following offices during the active marketing season:

ARIZONA

Nogales, AZ 85621

P.O. Box 2292

3150 Tucson-Nogales Hwy.

Phone: (602) 281-0374 & 9167

Vegetables, Melons/December-June

Phoenix, AZ 85017

2720 West Weldon Ave.

Phone: (602) 274-8842

Vegetables/Year-round

ARKANSAS

Little Rock, AR 72203

P.O. Box 391

1201 McAlmont St.

University of Arkansas

Technology Campus Bldg., Rm. 213

Phone: (501) 374-7626

Tomatoes—mailed from St. Louis, Mo.
office/June-July

CALIFORNIA

Bakersfield, CA 93309

4800 Stockdale Hwy., Suite 405

Phone: (805) 327-5596

Potatoes, Vegetables/Year-round

El Centro, CA 92243

P.O. Box 675

Produce Exchange Bldg.

395 Broadway

Phone: (714) 352-3562 & 3905

Vegetables, Melons, Grapes/Year-round

Fresno, CA 93721

California State Office Bldg., Rm. 3075

2550 Mariposa St.

Phone: (209) 488-5026

Fruits, Vegetables, Melons/Year-round

Los Angeles, CA 90021

The Linder Bldg., 5th Flr.
845 S. Figueroa St.
Phone: (213) 688-3077
Avocado and Lime/Weekly
Citrus, Vegetables/Year-round

Sacramento, CA 95814

Bureau of Market News
California Dept. of Food & Agriculture
1220 N Street, Rm. 216
Phone: (916) 445-5721
Fruits/Year-round

Salinas, CA 93906

21 West Laurel Dr., Suite 49
Phone: (408) 443-3020
Vegetables/Year-round

San Francisco, CA 94111

U.S. Appraisers Bldg., Rm. 727
630 Sansome St.
Phone: (415) 556-5587
Strawberries, Wine/Year-round

Stockton, CA 95203

World Trade Bldg., Suite D
2321 West Washington St.
Phone: (209) 466-0881
Vegetables/Year-round

COLORADO

Denver, CO 80202

U.S. Custom House, Rm. 387
721 19th St.
Phone: (303) 837-3223
Fruit and Vegetable Shipping Point Trends
Fruits and Vegetables/Year-round

FLORIDA

Miami, FL 33143

P.O. Box 431410
Rm. L-2
7520 Red Rd.
Phone: (305) 661-3493
Subtropical Fruits and Vegetables/
Year-round

North Palm Beach, FL 33408

P.O. Box 14697
765 U.S. Highway #1
Phone: (305) 844-8969
Citrus, Vegetables, Melons/September-June

FLORIDA, continued

Palatka, FL 32077

P.O. Box 3207

Palatka State Farmers Market

Phone: (904) 328-6667

Cabbage, Potatoes/April-June

Winter Park, FL 32790

P.O. Box 1148

Dan McCarty Bldg.

941 West Morse Bldg., Suite 11

Phone: (305) 628-8686

Citrus, Melons, Vegetables/Year-round

GEORGIA

Thomasville, GA 31792

P.O. Box 1447

Georgia State Farmers Market, Stall #39

Phone: (912) 228-2270

Fruits and Vegetables, Pecans, Peanuts/
Year-round; Potatoes/May-July

IDAHO

Idaho Falls, ID 83401

P.O. Box 166

Federal Bldg., Rm. 107

581 Park Ave.

Phone: (208) 523-6912

Potatoes, Onions/August-June

LOUISIANA

Baton Rouge, LA 70804

P.O. Box 44184, Capitol Station

Schmeider Bldg.

12055 Airline Hwy.

Phone: (504) 925-4638

Vegetables/Year-round

MAINE

Presque Isle, ME 04769

P.O. Box 725

Post Office Bldg.

23 Second St.

Phone: (207) 764-4470

Potatoes/October-June

MICHIGAN

Benton Harbor, MI 49022

P.O. Box 1204

Federal Bldg., Rm. 206

175 Territorial Rd.

Phone: (616) 925-3279 & 3270

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis, MN 55401

Federal Courts Bldg., Rm. 425

110 South 4th St.

Phone: (612) 332-4681

Red River Valley, Anoka County, Osseo,
and Big Lake Potato Report included in
terminal report/July-April

MISSOURI

Kansas City, MO 64106

U.S. Court House, Rm. 122

811 Grand Ave.

Phone: (816) 221-5785

Fruit and Vegetable Shipping Point Trends

St. Louis, MO 63102

Unit 97 Produce Row, Rm. 203

Phone: (314) 425-4520 & 4521

Arkansas Tomato Report included in
terminal report/June-July

Watermelon Report included in terminal
report/June-August

NEW JERSEY

Bridgeton, NJ 08302

RD 5, Route 77

Phone: (609) 451-1500

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

NEW MEXICO

Las Cruces, NM 88003

P.O. Box 3170

New Mexico Dept. of Agriculture

3190 Espinosa

Phone: (505) 646-4719

Lettuce, Onions/Mailed from Phoenix, Az.
and Hereford, Tex., May-August and
October

Pecans/Mailed from Thomasville, Ga.,
October-December

NEW YORK

Newburgh, NY 12550

219 Quassaick Ave., Rm. 3

Phone: (914) 561-5086

Vegetables, Apples/Year-round

Riverhead, LI, NY 11901

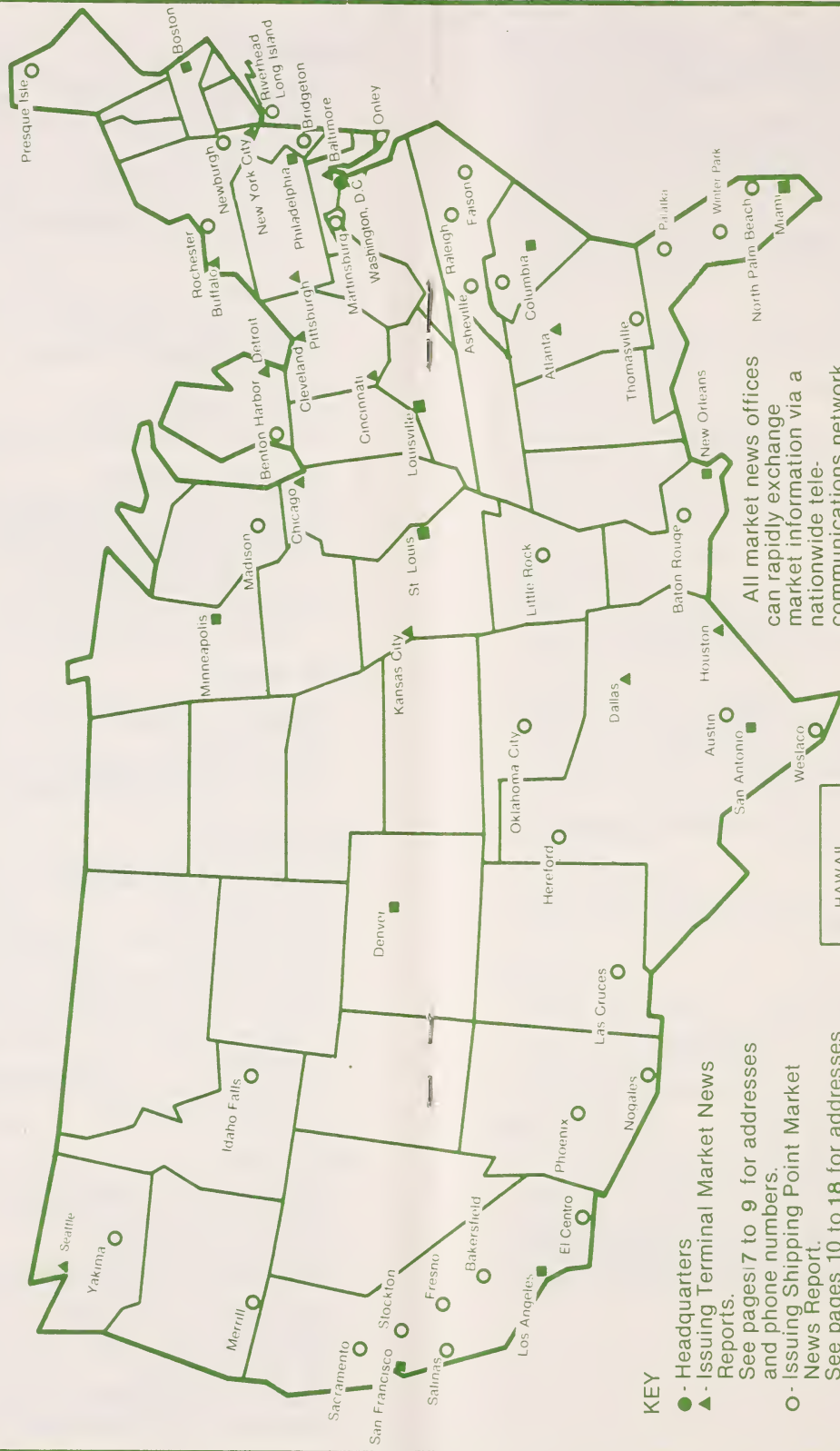
Sigal Bldg., Rm. 106

127 East Main St.

Phone: (516) 727-3941

Potatoes, Cauliflower/July-March

MARKET NEWS OFFICES ISSUING REPORTS ON FRUITS, VEGETABLES, ORNAMENTALS, AND SPECIALTY CROPS



KEY

- - Headquarters
See pages 7 to 9 for addresses and phone numbers.
- ▲ - Issuing Terminal Market News Reports.
See pages 10 to 18 for addresses and phone numbers.
- - Issuing Shipping Point Market News Report.
See pages 10 to 18 for addresses and phone numbers.
- - Terminal Market News Offices that also issue Shipping Point Reports.
See pages 7 to 9 for addresses and phone numbers.

All market news offices can rapidly exchange market information via a nationwide telecommunications network. Using these 1,200-word-per-minute circuits, market news reporters can relay information from market to market and to local traders.

HAWAII	



Rochester, NY 14623
Administration Bldg., Rm. 120
900 Jefferson Rd.
Phone: (716) 424-2690
Fruits, Vegetables/July-May

NORTH CAROLINA

Asheville, NC 28806
WNC Farmers Market
570 Brevard Rd.
Phone: (704) 253-1691
Fruits, Vegetables/July-October

Faison, NC 28341
P.O. Box 386
Phone: (919) 267-9661 & 6941
Vegetables/June-July

Raleigh, NC 27611
P.O. Box 27647
Agriculture Bldg.
1 West Edenton St.
Phone: (919) 733-7252 & 7257
Sweet potatoes/September-May

OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City, OK 73105
Oklahoma Dept. of Agriculture
122 State Capitol Bldg.
Phone: (405) 521-3881
Pecans/Mailed from Thomasville, GA/
October-December

OREGON

Merrill, OR 97633
P.O. Box 368
119 West Front St.
Phone: (503) 798-5532
Potatoes, Onions/October-May

PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia, PA 19148
Produce Bldg., Rm. 261
3301 South Galloway St.
Phone: (215) 597-4536
Pennsylvania and Delaware Potato Report
included in terminal report/August-March
Fruit and Vegetable Shipping Point Trends

SOUTH CAROLINA

Columbia, SC 29201

P.O. Box 13531

State Farmers Market

Youngblood Administration Bldg.

Bluff Rd.

Phone: (803) 758-2293

Vegetable Report/June-July

Peaches/June-July

TEXAS

Austin, TX 78711

P.O. Box 12847, Capitol Station

Stephen F. Austin Bldg.

18th and Congress Ave.

Phone: (512) 475-2744

Watermelons/June-August

Pecans/October-January

Hereford, TX 79045

P.O. Box 1853

Hwy. 60, Main St.

Phone: (806) 364-0121

Vegetables/July-September

San Antonio, TX 78207

1500 South Zarzamora, Rm. 210

Phone: (512) 222-9126

Vegetable Report included in terminal report

Weslaco, TX 78596

P.O. Box 13

417 Gray Lane

Phone: (512) 968-2119 & 2110

Citrus, Vegetables, Melons/September-June

VIRGINIA

Onley, VA 23418

P.O. Box 26

Phone: (804) 787-3720

Potatoes, Vegetables/May-March

WASHINGTON

Yakima, WA 98903

Agricultural Service Center, Rm. 4

2015 South First St.

Phone: (509) 453-7149 & 7140

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

WEST VIRGINIA

Martinsburg, WV 25401

P.O. Box 1112

Federal Bldg., Rm. 323

215 West King St.

Phone: (304) 267-7375

Peaches, Apples/August-April

WISCONSIN

Madison, WI 53713

801 West Badger Rd.

Phone: (608) 266-7178 & 1531

Potatoes/August-April

WHERE TO WRITE FOR ORNAMENTAL CROPS REPORTS

Reports on ornamentals are issued from the following market news offices:

BOSTON, MA 02202

Leverett Saltonstall Bldg.

100 Cambridge St. (Government Center)

Phone: (617) 727-3018

Wholesale market

New England Production Areas

CHICAGO, IL 60607

U.S. Custom House, Rm. 1060

610 South Canal St.

Phone: (312) 353-0111

Wholesale Market

Milwaukee Wholesale Market

St. Louis Wholesale Market

DALLAS, TX 75201

2818 Maple St.

Suite 214

Phone: (214) 767-5334

Wholesale Market

HONOLULU, HI 96822

P.O. Box 22159

1428 South King St.

Phone: (808) 548-7163

Wholesale Market

MIAMI, FL 33143

P.O. Box 431410
Rm. L-2
7520 Red Rd.
Phone: (305) 661-3493
Florida Production Areas and Imports

MINNEAPOLIS, MN 55401

Federal Courts Bldg., Rm. 425
110 South 4th St.
Phone: (612) 332-4681
Wholesale Market

NEW YORK, NY 10047

50th Floor, Rm. 5086
2 World Trade Center
Phone: (212) 488-4825
Wholesale Market

PHILADELPHIA, PA 19148

Produce Bldg., Rm. 261
3301 South Galloway St.
Phone: (215) 597-4536
Wholesale Market
Pittsburgh Wholesale Market

SAN FRANCISCO, CA 94111

U.S. Appraisers Bldg., Rm. 727
630 Sansome St.
Phone: (415) 556-5587
Wholesale Market and California
Production Areas
National Market Trends

WINTER PARK, FL 32790

P.O. Box 1148
Dan McCarty Bldg.
941 West Morse Blvd., Suite 11
Phone: (305) 628-8686
Florida Foliage Plants/Year-round

WASHINGTON, D.C. REPORTS

Many market news reports on fruits, vegetables, ornamentals, and specialty crops are available free from the U.S. Department of Agriculture. For the following reports write Market News Branch, Fruit and Vegetable Division, Agricultural Marketing Service, USDA, Washington, DC 20250.

WEEKLY

Weekly Summary of Fruit and Vegetable Shipments—Unloads (Wednesday)

Fruit and Vegetable Truck Rate Report (Wednesday)

MONTHLY

Honey Market News

Sugar Market News

ANNUAL

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Unloads in Eastern Cities by Commodities, States, and Months (FVUS-1) (April)

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Unloads in Midwestern Cities by Commodities, States, and Months (FVUS-2) (April)

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Unloads in Southern Cities by Commodities, States, and Months (FVUS-3) (April)

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Unloads in Western Cities by Commodities, States, and Months (FVUS-4) (April)

Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Unload Totals in 41 Cities (FVUS-5) (April)

Summary of Wholesale Prices of Fresh Fruits and Vegetables at New York City and Chicago and F.O.B. Prices in Representative Shipping Districts (May)

MARKET NEWS BY PHONE

Telephone recorders provide 24-hour market news information at the following shipping point and terminal market news offices. Reports are available for the commodities listed during the seasons indicated.

ALABAMA

Foley***

Potatoes/May-June

Rainsville (205) 638-6215

Potatoes/June-July

*** Ask operator for Federal-State market news recorder under State or Federal listing.

ARIZONA

Nogales (602) 281-0625
Melons, Vegetables/December-June

Phoenix (602) 279-4134
Vegetables/September-July

Yuma (602) 782-9597
Vegetables/November-July

CALIFORNIA

Bakersfield (805) 323-0727
Potatoes, Vegetables/Year-round

Blythe (714) 922-7151
Melons, Vegetables/November-April

Coachella (714) 398-0353
Grapes/May-July

El Centro (714) 352-5130
Melons, Vegetables/December-July

Fallbrook (714) 728-6014
Avocadoes/Year-round

Fresno (209) 233-0341
Fruits/Year-round

Fresno (209) 488-5617
Melons/July-September

Los Angeles (213) 622-3922
Fruits/Year-round

Los Angeles (213) 622-3973
Vegetables/Year-round

Salinas (408) 449-7221
Vegetables/Year-round

San Francisco (415) 397-6513
Wine Grapes/August-December

Santa Maria (805) 343-2308
Vegetables/Year-round

COLORADO

Monte Vista County (303) 852-2568
Potatoes/September-June

DELAWARE

Dover (302) 697-2345
Potatoes/July-September

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Washington (202) 447-2599

Honey, Sugar/Year-round

FLORIDA

Belle Glade (302) 996-0235

Vegetables/October-May

Fort Myers (813) 332-2114

Citrus, Vegetables/October-June

Fort Pierce (305) 465-5239

Citrus, Vegetables/October-June

Immokalee (813) 657-2793

Watermelons, Vegetables/October-June

Miami (305) 666-7106

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Miami (305) 661-7038

Ornamental Crops/Year-round

Palatka (904) 328-6668

Cabbage, Potatoes/April-June

Plant City (813) 754-2826

Melons, Vegetables/January-June

Pompano Beach (305) 946-4343

Vegetables/October-May

Trenton (904) 463-2427

Watermelons/June-July

Winter Park (305) 628-0319

Citrus, Vegetables/Year-round

GEORGIA

Forest Park (404) 361-5211

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Fort Valley***

Peaches/May-July

Thomasville (912) 226-7567

Melons, Pecans, Vegetables/Year-round

Thomasville (800) 243-1192 (free if in State)

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

HAWAII

Hilo (808) 935-9209

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Honolulu (808) 548-7171

Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Wailuku (808) 244-5226
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Lihue (808) 245-2125
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

IDAHO

Fruitland (208) 452-3722
Onions/August-April

Idaho Falls (208) 522-3979
Potatoes/August-June

ILLINOIS

Chicago (312) 353-0240
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

LOUISIANA

Baton Rouge (504) 925-4640
Vegetables/Year-round

MAINE

Presque Isle (207) 764-3948
Potatoes/October-June

MARYLAND

Jessup (301) 799-7278
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

MASSACHUSETTS

Boston (617) 727-7937
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

MICHIGAN

Bay City (517) 893-8961
Potatoes/June-September

Benton Harbor (616) 925-1096
Fruits, Vegetables/June-April

Detroit (313) 841-1431
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

MINNESOTA

Minneapolis (612) 725-2291
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

MISSOURI

St. Louis (314) 425-4559
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

NEW JERSEY

Bridgeton (609) 455-2510
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Hightstown (609) 448-1482
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

NEW MEXICO

Las Cruces (505) 646-4928
Vegetables/October

NEW YORK

Albion (716) 589-5863
Fruits, Vegetables/August-April

Lockport (716) 433-5988
Fruits, Vegetables/August-April

Newburgh (914) 651-4626
Vegetables/July-May

Oswego (315) 343-9526
Vegetables/July-April

New York City (212) 542-3564
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Riverhead (516) 727- 6884
Potatoes/July-March

NORTH CAROLINA

Elizabeth City***
Potatoes/June-July

Faison (919) 267-9211
Vegetables/June-July

Hendersonville***
Fruits, Vegetables/July-October

OHIO

Cincinnati (513) 621-2542
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Cleveland (216) 361-9936
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

OKLAHOMA

Oklahoma City (405) 521-0466
Pecans/October-December

(800) 522-8171 (free if in State)
Pecans/October-December

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OREGON

Merrill (503) 798-5733
Potatoes/October-May

PENNSYLVANIA

Philadelphia (215) 597-4429
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Pittsburgh (412) 644-2678
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

SOUTH CAROLINA

Beaufort***
Vegetables/May-June

Charleston***
Vegetables/May-June

Columbia (803) 758-7200
Fruits, Vegetables/April-November

Spartanburg***
Peaches/June-July

Johnston***
Peaches/June-August

TEXAS

Austin (512) 475-3845
Watermelons, Pecans/May-December

Hereford (806) 364-0129
Vegetables/July-September

McAllen (512) 383-2492
Citrus grower prices/September-June

San Antonio (512) 222-9065
Vegetables/Year-round

Uvalde (512) 278-6794
Vegetables/October-June

Weslaco (512) 682-2581
Fruits, Vegetables/September-June

VIRGINIA

Onley (804) 787-4228
Potatoes/Year-round

Richmond (804) 786-8749
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

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WASHINGTON

Seattle (206) 725-9145
Fruits, Vegetables/Year-round

Yakima (509) 453-6073
Fruits/Year-round

Yakima (509) 452-7859
Vegetables/Year-round

WISCONSIN

Antigo (715) 623-2838
Potatoes/August-April

Madison (608) 266-6760
Potatoes/August-April

Stevens Point (715) 341-6463
Potatoes/August-April

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